

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

MONDAY, April 11—P. M.

The stock market opened weak and irregular this morning, and a large majority of the shares which are mostly dealt in suffered from the depressing spirit which pervaded. These temporary reactions are quite natural and are of periodical occurrence; but in a general point of view, in times like the present, when the currency is being inflated at the rate of a million a day, and while the banks are steadily expanding their loans and discounts, there can be but one course for every description of stocks that have more than an ideal basis, and that is upward. The speculative mania is too firmly fixed in the minds of operators to be disturbed for more than a day or two at a time by a slight turning of the current in a direction contrary to their desires, which the tendency of the market since the commencement of the present year fully prove. The highest point has not yet been reached, nor is it likely that it will be until the word "contraction" is sounded from the Treasury Department, at Washington, and from the New York Clearing House; but that time has not yet arrived, and the public may rest easy for a year or more to come. Harlan Railroad opened at 150, against 175, which was the closing price on Saturday; it then ran up to 185, and before the call was finished it sold for cash at 176, and for 170, seller thirty days. Compared with the sales at the first board on Saturday, Gaines and Chicago advanced 1%, Cleveland and Toledo 1, and Quicksilver Mining 2%. New York Central declined 1%, Erie 3%, Erie preference 1%, Hudson River 2, Reading 1%, Milwaukee and Prairie du Chien 1, Michigan Central 3, Michigan Southern 1, Illinois Central 2%, Cleveland and Pittsburgh 2, Chicago and Rock Island 1%, Chicago and Fort Wayne 6, Chicago and Northwestern 4, Chicago and Alton 2, and Cumberland Coal 1.

Stocks generally become more firm in the afternoon. The closing prices were, for New York Central 142½, Erie Railroad 125½, Erie preferred 111½, Harlem 17½, Hudson River 157%, Reading 163½, Michigan Central 133, Michigan Southern 115½, Illinois Central 140½, Gaines and Chicago 143½, Cleveland and Pittsburgh 2, Chicago and Rock Island 133½, Chicago and Northwestern 67%, and Pittsburgh and Fort Wayne 142½.

Very little was done in sterling exchange, bankers' bills being quoted at 188.

Gold opened this morning at 171, and was run up to the afternoon to 172½, only a quarter per cent below the highest figure attained during the excitement in February, 1863. On the 26th of that month it touched 172½, but less than a week thereafter it went down to 150. The value of a currency dollar is now only fifty-eight cents.

The following table shows the totals of the bank statement at the commencement of the present year, with those of the three past weeks:

	LAST WEEK.	OPENING.	CLOSING.
Jan. 2.	\$20,365,131	140,300,555	140,300,555
Mar. 26.	19,372,439	140,450,504	140,450,504
April 2.	20,365,131	140,575,505	140,575,505
April 9.	20,254,287	140,510,523	140,510,523

It will be seen that since the returns of the previous week there has been an increase under each head except that of deposits, the most marked of which is the large addition to the amount of specie. The statement just published compares with that made on the 2d just as follows:

	INCREASE IN LOANS.	INCREASE IN SPECIE.	INCREASE IN CIRCULATION.	DECREASE IN DEPOSITS.
	\$340,061	1,392,022	5,813	638,277

The sudden check to the current of deposits is caused by the course which capital is taking towards the treasury loan.

The transactions at the office of the Assistant Treasurer embraced the following sums:

Amount on hand.	\$37,619,224
Receipts from customs.	429,000
From other sources.	1,052,383
Total.	\$39,091,602
Payments.	6,222,972
Balance.	\$32,868,630

BANKERS.—Receipts, 7,024 bbls. flour, 217 bbls. and 1,292 bag corn meal, 14,025 bushels wheat and 35,120 bushels. The excitement in the flour market continued to-day, and a further advance of 15c. a bu. was established on all kinds, with a large business for home use and on speculation. Prices are largely beyond what shippers can pay; in fact there is likely soon to be a margin for profits on shipments this way. The sales comprised 20,000 bushels State and Western, 4,000 do. Southerners and 1,700 bushels New England. The flour market closed at 1,413 bushels \$10.904, 110,317,032 North America, 1,292,000 do. 100,316,100 N. Y. City, 685,212 do. 101,309,100 100,316,100 N. Y. County, 2,352,207 do. 103,000,000 111,059,100 100,316,000 Ohio, 1,811,371 do. 104,000,000 112,059,100 100,316,000 Pacific, 1,922,354 do. 112,200,000 102,014,100 100,316,000 People's, 1,136,157 do. 93,419,100 117,304,100 100,316,000 Phoenix, 1,458,327 do. 97,499,100 20,700,100 100,316,000 St. Nicholas, 1,773,342 do. 116,047,100 79,300,100 100,316,000 Shoe & Leather, 9,044,339 do. 152,816,000 210,820,000 Seventh Ward, 1,828,328 do. 292,670,000 39,910,100 100,316,000 State, 1,739,432 do. 65,000,000 56,000,000 100,316,000 Braden's, 1,091,619 do. 100,249,000 2,002,320,000 Underwood, 4,163,024 do. 409,223,000 27,487,100 100,316,000 Total, \$204,338,192 do. 204,285,700 804,111,170,032,000

BUSINESSES AT THE CLEARNING HOUSE.—
Clerks for weekly ending April 2. \$675,372 745 72
Balances for week ending April 2. 21,370,730 745 72
Balances for week ending April 9. 18,753,499 72

CITY COMMERCIAL REPORT.—
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Arrives—Receipt, 11 bbls. Market unchanged. Sales 200 bbls.

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The total number of national banks is now three hundred and seventy-three, with an aggregate capital of \$18,258,200.

The old banks of Trenton, N. J., have decided to adopt the national system and to open their books for an increase of capital.

The exams of the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railways during the month of March compare as follows with the exams for the same time last year:

March, 1863.	\$602,603
March, 1864.	461,964
Increase.	\$140,639

The above company has declared a dividend of 2½ per cent on the capital stock for the quarter ending on the 31st of March, out of the net earnings of the first three months of the present year. The dividend will be paid, free of government tax, on and after the 16th of May.

STOCK EXCHANGE.—
MORNING, April 11—10:30 A. M.

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